WHEN YOU FINISH READING YOUR AFRO PASS IT ALONG TO A FRIEND

Waters has a new look for annual conference meeting

By CHARLOTTE W. DOWNIE

Waters AME Church, Aisquith near Orleans, is the site of the 142nd Baltimore Annual Conference of the AME Church.

The Rt. Rev. Frank Madison Reid, Bishop of the Second Episcopal District, opened the five-day conference on Wednesday morning.

Host pastor is the Rev. W. B. Nash who came to Waters in July, 1958.

More than 100 delegates church members and visitors are in the city for the conference.

Delegates are here from the Baltimore, Easton and Centreville Districts where the Rev. John M. Cox, R. L. Tillery and W. E. Mosley are presiding elders.

Representatives are also present from Baltimore, Washington, Virginia and North Carolina churches.

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FOR THE conference, Waters has a new dress. The main auditorium has been redecorated in a soft green shade, trimmed in a rich brown.

There is new pulpit furniture, and a new grand piano.

The spacious main dining room is equipped to serve 200 persons at one time.

Organizations of Waters serving delegates on Friday were the Senior Choir, Mothers Club and Golden Circle.

On Saturday Deaconesses, Stewardess Board No. 1, the Senior Stewardess, and the In For Work Club will serve the meals. The Male Ushers Brotherhood and Male Chorus will serve the meals on Sunday.

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CHURCH COMMITTEES and their assignments for the conference which concludes Sunday, are: Kitchen Committee, Mrs. Rosa McIntosh, chairman; Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson and Mrs. Estelle Darnell, assistants; concession, Mrs. Odelle Pittman, chairman; finance, Mrs. Pricilla Gattis, chairman;

Home committee, Mrs. Mary Mosley, chairman; nurses unit, Mrs. Janie Hawkins; and dining room chairman, Mrs. Jennie Jackson.

The host pastor, the Rev. Mr. Nash, is known as a dynamic speaker, and a friendly minister.

He is a native of Cokesbury, S.C., and a graduate of Allen University, Columbia, S.C. and Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta.

Before coming to Waters in 1955, the Rev. Mr. Nash pastored in South Carolina and served as chaplain in the United States Army.

He also pastored churches in Washington, Roanoke, Va., and College Park, Md.

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THE MINISTER is married to the former Miss Eloise Wright of Laurens, S.C.

They have one daughter, Mrs. Juanita Betty Gonzales and two granddaughters, Amelia, 8, and Anita, 2.

The family resides at 1616 E. Biddle St.

At his Sunday morning service, the Rev. Mr. Nash told the 400 members and friends:

"I have been more than pleased with having been able to serve you during my stay at Waters. You have been very cooperative, and I have seen much progress made."

After the service, members greeted him at the door and he shook their hands and chatted leisurely with them.

Out-of-towners here for the conference include the Rt. Rev. Joseph Gomez, presiding Bishop of the Fourth Episcopal District and the Rev. W. L. Hildebrand of Norfolk.

FRIENDLY PASTOR is the Rev. W. B. Nash, pastor of Waters Church, which is hosting the 142nd Baltimore Annual Conference of the AME Church now in session. He is shown here greeting members after the Sunday morning services.

Rev. Bourne speaks today; appointments on Sunday

The Rev. C. E. Bourne, pastor of Bethel AME Church, Cambridge, Md., will deliver the educational program address today (Friday) at the 142nd session of the Baltimore Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

The five-day meeting opened Wednesday night at Waters AME Church, 427 Aisquith St., where more than 500 delegates and visitors are being hosted by the congregation and pastor, the Rev. Wesley B. Nash.

Today's program also includes the 4 p.m. Missionary Hour.

Tonight's program is highlighted by the appearance of more than 200 young people from all areas of the conference in the Youth Night meeting.

Under the direction of Mrs. Edith Bryant, wife of the Rev. Harrison Bryant, pastor of the Baltimore Bethel AME Church, various groups will give reports and special events.

The combined youth choirs will be under the direction of Charles Parker.

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SATURDAY'S PROGRAM includes continued reports by ministers of the conference with the ordination of new pastors coming at 12 noon.

Mrs. Clara Harris is president of the Laymen's League which will sponsor the 4 p.m. laymen's program.

The Evangelistic Hour is scheduled for 8 p.m. Saturday.

Highlighting Sunday's 11 a.m. services will be the sermon by the Rt. Rev. Frank Madison Reid, bishop of the second Episcopal District.

Following the 3 p.m. regular services is the Conference League meeting set for 6 p.m.

Appointments and conference changes will be announced at the 7:30 p.m. meeting with the Rt. Rev. Mr. Reid, presiding.

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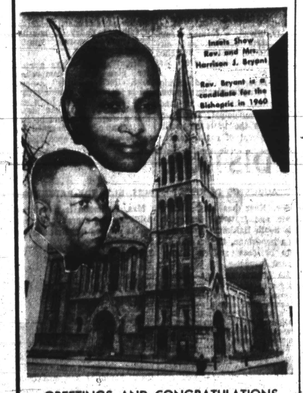

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Wife of noted N. Carolina minister dies in Maryland

Funeral services were held Wednesday at the St. Marks Methodist Church, Harmons, Md., for Mrs. Alice Cornelia Moore Scarborough, 60, Dorsey Rd., Harmons, Md. who died Sunday.

Burial was in the Arbutus Memorial Cemetery, Baltimore.

Mrs. Scarborough was the wife of the St. Marks pastor, the Rev. William C. L. Scarborough, who has filled the pulpit for the past two years.

A native of Scotland Neck, Mrs. Scarborough was well-known throughout the area and especially in the North Carolina Methodist Church, where the Rev. Mr. Scarborough pastored for 35 years.

The Rev. Mr. Scarborough was pastor at the Wilmington, N.C. St. Paul Methodist Church before he was appointed to the St. Marks Church in the Harmons, Md. community.

Mrs. Scarborough's death came as the result of multiple sclerosis. She was stricken shortly before she came to the Maryland community and confined to the Montebello Hospital in October, 1958, six months before her death.

Mrs. Scarborough was born in Scotland Neck the daughter of the late Cornelia Mack Moore, a painter.

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SHE WAS educated in the North Carolina schools and at the Mary Potter Normal School.

She and the Rev. Mr. Scarborough were married in Baltimore Sept. 11, 1918 while she was a seastress and residing in Washington.

In September, 1958, the Scarboroughs celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary.

A faithful wife and mother, Mrs. Scarborough was at her husband's side while he spent 25 years on different Methodist Charges throughout the state of North Carolina.

They had two sons, William R. Scarborough, Tredose, Pa., and Henry H. Scarborough, Baltimore, who survive.

Also surviving are four grandchildren; a brother, Marcellus Moore, Washington; two nephews and nieces and one great nephew.

Also mourning her death are two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Ouida Scarborough, wife of William, — and Mrs. Twilah Scarborough wife of Henry Scarborough.

The Rev. Mr. Scarborough continues to reside at their home, Post Office address, Route 1, Box 113-B, Hanover, Md.

Frank Hebron

Funeral services for Frank Hebron, 76, 1604 Druid Hill Ave., automobile accident victim, are set for St. Peter Claver Church at a 9:30 a.m. Saturday mass.

Burial will be in the Arbutus Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Hebron died Monday at Provident Hospital as the result of injuries sustained when he was hit by a truck at Fremont Ave. and Preestman St., January 10.

Mr. Hebron was a longtime resident of Baltimore and member of the St. Peter Claver parish for many years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Rose B. Hebron; a daughter, Mrs. Vay H. Harried; a granddaughter, Mrs. Vera White; a brother, James Hebron, Mitchelville, Md., and a sister, Mrs. Helen Hebron, Annapolis, Md

Charles R. Law attends brother's rites in Indiana

Charles R. Law, local mortician, left Thursday night for Gary, Ind., to attend funeral services for his brother, Walter L. Law, who died suddenly Wednesday.

Accompanying Mr. Law are his mother, Mrs. Virginia Williams and his nephew, Kenneth Law, both of Baltimore.

Walter Law, the deceased brother, was 53 years of age and a longtime city employee in the Indiana city.

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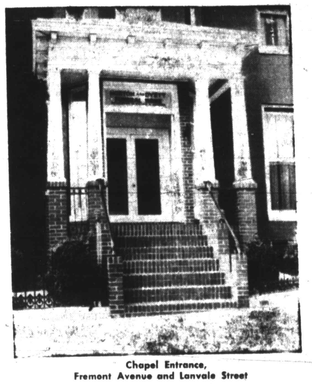

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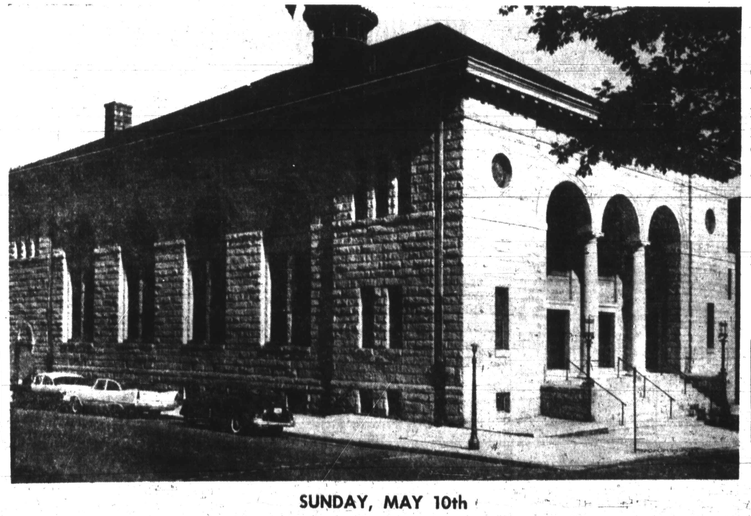

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